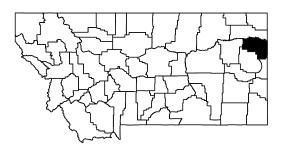


Richland County Health Profile, September 2002



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DEMOGRAPHICS	Richland					Montana						
Area	2,084 square miles					145,552 square miles						
Population Density and Status	4.6/ sq. mi. (frontier)				6.2/ sq. mi. (11 rural and 45 frontier counties)							
Urban Population	5,253 (54%)				487,878 (54%)							
Population ¹ :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other		
Gender	4,801	4,866	9,335	141	191	449,480	452,715	817,229	56,068	28,898		
Race Age	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-17	<18		
1.95	558	707	846	550	2,661	54,869	61,963	69,298		230,062		
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+		
	616	2,587	2,299	1,504	7,006	85,757	245,220	220,207	120,949	672,133		
	Total Population: 9,667											
Educational Attainment of					or Degree	HS Graduate (or GED)			Bachelor Degree			
Population 25 years or Older ¹	84% 17%					87%	24%					
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs						
	Services (23.4%)					Services (30.6%)						
	Retail trade (18.3%)					Retail trade (18.8%)						
	Farm (12.5%)					State and local government (11.4%)						
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	State and local government				None							
Unemployment Rate ²	4.9%				4.6%							
Median Household Income ¹	\$32,110				\$33,024							
Per Capita Income ¹	\$16,006				\$17,151							
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age by Income as a Percent of FPL	All a	iges	<18	18+	65+	All ages		<18	18+	65+		
	12.2%		14%	11%	9%	14.6%		19%	13%	9%		
	50%	10	0%	150%	200%	50%	10	0%	150%	200%		
	5%	12.	2%	22%	36%	6%	14.	6%	26%	37%		
Percent of Population with Health	Medicaid			Medicare		Medicaid		Medicare				
Care Costs covered by a Government Payor	10	1%		17%		11	%	15%				
Persons 21 Years and Older				5 and old	der	21	- 64	65 and older				
with a Disability ¹ (percent)	842 (16%) 526 (37%) 85,337 (17%) 45,				5,284 (40%)							
Live Births per 1,000 Population ³	11.2 (n = 552)				12.1 (n = 54,193)							
Deaths per 1,000 Population ³	10.3 (n = 507)				8.8 (n = 39,527)							
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All		
by Gender, Race ¹	38.1	40.3	39.6	19.4	39.2	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5		
at Death ³	75 (222)	82	79	60.5	79 (507)	75	81	78	62	78		
(number of deaths)	(283)	(224)	(505)	(2)	(507)	(20,498)	(19,029)	(37,589)	(1,789)	(39,527)		

²⁰⁰⁰ Census.

MT Dept. Labor & Industry, 2001.
 1996-2000, Office of Vital Statistics.

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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Richland				Montana				
Fertility Rates ⁴ (t een births per 1,000 teen females;		Teen		All Women		Teen		All Women	
all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age)	30.3	(n=62)	57.0 (ı	n=551)	36.9 (r	n=6,460)	58.8 (n:	=53,995)	
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester;		mester	Ade	quacy	1 st Tri	mester	Ade	quacy	
percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁴		.7%		.5%	82	5%		.6%	
Percent Low Birthweight ⁴ (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.)			3%			6.5			
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁴	5.4					6.7			
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁵	395.2 (95% C.I. ±52.8)				443.6 (95% C.I. ±6.1)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁴		1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER				1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER			
		3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE				3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁴	423.7 (n=209)				229.4 (n=10,248)				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁴	26.4 (n=13)				23.3 (n=1,043)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁴	4.1 (n=2)				18.5 (n=827)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁴	32.4 (n=16)				63.7 (n=2,847)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	7.2% (n=95)				9.5% (n=10,688)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2001)		21.2%				19.6%			
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2001)	93% (n=38)				92% (n=1,965)				
STD Incidence (reported cases per 100,000)	93.2 (n=46)				160.9 (n=7,191)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Richland				Montana				
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH), and Total Number of Beds		Local Hospitals		# beds	Local F	Hospitals	CAH	# beds	
		ocal	0	42		l; 2 child/ ych; 1 VA	27	2,937	
Rural Health Clinics, Federally Qualified Health Centers, IHS and Tribal Health Facilities (number)		FQHCs	IHS &	Tribal	RHCs	FQHCs	IHS 8	Tribal	
		0		0	36	14	,	17	
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services	Basic Basic-all counties; Enhanced-16 cou						6 counties		
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:	# Richland County Locations								
Basic Life Support Services Advanced Life Support Services		1 Sidney							
		0 N/A							
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)		1 (93 beds)			105 (7,733 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Personal Care Home [PC], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses		# beds)	AFC	ADC	PC (#	# beds)	AFC	ADC	
		(40)	0	1		(3,173)	106	64	
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses		HHA		Hospice		HHA		Hospice	
		1		1		51		30	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS], Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]		RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	
		1	0	3.55	116.1	81.5	14.4	26.9	
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]		NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	
		0	3	0	1,060	31	298	210	
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	4 dentists		4 hygienists		477 dentists		391 hygienists		
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:		Federal HPSA: Fairview CCD							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]	Mental Health HPSA: Yes Dental HPSA: None								

⁴ 1996-2000, Office of Vital Statistics.

⁵ 1996-2000 average, age-adjusted to 2000 standard-million population, Montana Central Tumor Registry, DPHHS.

^{*} Non-transporting